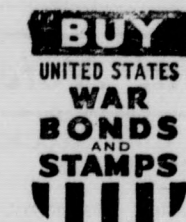


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Program For Easter At The Churches

Special Services Beginning Today Mark Observance Of Holy Week

Beginning with the observance today of Maundy Thursday, Holy Week services will be held during the next three days, to most of Sierra Madre's churches be followed by impressive services featuring Easter music on Sunday.

Only Easter Sunrise service in this area will be held in the county park in Arcadia, sponsored jointly by officers of Camp Santa Anita and Arcadia civic organizations. Chaplain Robinson, chief of the Camp Santa Anita chaplains, will be the principal speaker and there will be a chorus of 50 voices. The service will begin at 6:30 Sunday morning.

Holy Communion, reception of members and the impressive Office of Tenebrae will be celebrated at the Congregational Church tonight (Thursday) at 8 a.m.

Easter Day Communion at the church will be held in the chapel at 7 a.m., with reception of members, followed by the Easter Fellowship Breakfast at 8 a.m. Sunday school will convene at 9:45 a.m., and the Rev. Frederic Groetsema will deliver the Easter sermon.

At St. Rita's Shrine Father Leo Scheibel will deliver a sermon on the Institution of the Holy Eucharist tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 a.m., and will celebrate Holy Thursday with a special mass in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, followed by a procession to repository.

Adoration will be held all day today and there will be a nocturnal adoration, which is a special service throughout the diocese this year.

On Good Friday (to-morrow) the Veneration of the Cross and the Way of the Cross devotion will be held at 2:45 p.m., and the mass of the pre-sanctified and the Way of the Cross at 8 p.m.

On Saturday various blessings of the liturgical service will be at 7 a.m., followed by Easter Saturday high mass. On Easter Sunday the Easter high mass will be held at 6:30 a.m. Other masses will be held at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. There will be no evening service.

The Passionist Fathers Monastery will hold its Easter services with St. Rita's church this year, part of the monastery being occupied as an Army hospital.

At the Bethany Church, the Easter sermons will be given by the Rev. S. R. Sheriff at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m. There will be a program of Easter Music during the evening service.

At the Church of Ascension, there will be Three Hours of Devotion, on Good Friday, conducted by the rector from 12 noon to 3 p.m., with the Rev. Martin D. Kneeland giving the meditations on the Seven Words from the Cross, and Dean A. G. H. Bode officiating at the organ.

On Easter Even (Holy Saturday) the ceremony of the New Fire and Lighting of the Paschal Candle will take place at 4 p.m. to be followed by the Sacrament of Holy Baptism to children and adults. Water from the River Jordan will be used for this occasion.

On Easter Day, Holy Communion will be held at 7:30 a.m., and Festival Choral Eucharist and Church School at 10:30 a.m. The Choir will sing St. Cecilia's Mass under the direction of Dean A. G. H. Bode at the 10:30 a.m. service.

British Seaman Writes Relatives Here Of His Rescue After Ship Is Sunk

Mrs. L. Jones of 397 Ramona ave., and Russell Dumas of 381 Ramona ave., have received word from their nephew, Seaman Gunner Bernard M. Smith, seaman gunner of the British Navy, that he is safe and in this country after his ship was torpedoed by an enemy submarine on an allied convoy. His letter, dated at Baltimore, said in part:

"We were torpedoed seven days out from England. . . south of the Azores. As it was my night off watch I was asleep in my bunk when the first torpedo entered underneath my cabin. Bulkhead and everything collapsed and it is amazing how I escaped without a scratch. . . The man in the cabin above me was killed outright and my chum is in Puerto Rico with nearly every bone in his body broken.

May Day Breakfast Will Be Served By Woman's Guild

The traditional May Day Breakfast of the Woman's Guild of the Church of the Ascension will be served again this year in response to the request of many local citizens who have enjoyed these delightful affairs in the past and feared it would not be repeated now because of the war. The breakfast, served last year to more than 150 persons; consists of hot cakes, maple syrup, sausages and bacon, with coffee. For the convenience of early risers and those who go off to business early, service will begin at 6 o'clock and continue until 10.

18-Year Olds Here Sent Draft Calls

Included In Local Contingent To Be Inducted Into The Army Tuesday

Several of the recently registered 18-year old Sierra Madre youths were among an announced number of draft registrants here to receive notices Saturday to report next Tuesday for induction into the Army. The number of persons to receive such notices or their names will not be made public by the district draft board in Monrovia until men called for the April quota have taken their physical examinations. It is known, however, that many of those called were among the original registrants and that a number are married men, with dependents. It is also known that the list includes the names of two or three local businessmen, though the quota is not as large as that originally assigned the district.

John Copeland, a former member of the staff of the Sierra Madre News and later correspondent in this area for the Los Angeles Times and assistant city editor of the Pasadena Post, will be inducted Tuesday along with the draftees of this district. He will be inducted as a volunteer officer candidate, with an opportunity to qualify after basic training for officer's training. His wife, the former Renee Crombez, will remain here with his mother, Mrs. James L. Copeland, at their home, 57 W. Mira Monte ave.

Stanley Wood, Jr., also a local draft registrant, will also be inducted Tuesday. He has passed all examinations and received notice that he will be accepted for air cadet training.

Found It Too Cold Up In Wisconsin

Prevailing high fogs and temperatures that seem a trifle cool in Southern California are not going to bother Mrs. R. E. Wright—not after her experience in Wisconsin from which she returned Monday after accompanying her husband, Lieut. "Bob" Wright to his Navy assignment at the plant of the Fairbanks-Morse Co. at Beloit, Wis.

Until she crossed the Mississippi river on her return trip to Sierra Madre she did not see a tree or shrub in leaf or a blade of green grass. The weather was cold and the skies gray. April 13 and 14 it snowed and there was plenty of ice. She reports Lieut. Wright is so interested in the work he is doing he didn't mind the weather. But she did and was really glad to get back home.

How You Can Prepare Now For The Canning Season Soon Here; Get Most Nutritive Value Out Of Rationed Foods

Information concerning the preservation of food for later use is given in a series of leaflets prepared by the University of California Agricultural Extension Service. Single leaflets are free at the office of any county farm advisor or may be purchased in quantities at small cost from the University Press.

Included among the publications are: Saving Food Values, Home Canning, Freezing Storage, Drying of Vegetables and Fruits in the Home, Home Bottling and Canning of Fruit Juice, including Tomato Juice.

Also, in connection with the food program, leaflets are offered on: Building a Good Body, Food Groups and Their Importance in the Diet, Checking the Food Values of the Daily Diet, and Feeding the Sick and Convalescent in the Home.

With wartime food problems calling on homemakers to use all their ingenuity in obtaining greatest nutritive value from the



"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money"

With Sierra Madre Boys In Service

Benjamin L. Arata, whose wife lives at 800 E. Grand View ave., has been promoted to Private First Class. He is in the headquarters battery of a U. S. Fifth Army field artillery battalion in North Africa.

Aviation Cadet Aubrey Clayton Young, Jr., son of Mrs. G. K. Koch, 431 Ramona ave., is a member of class 43D of Student Officers and Aviation Cadets to be graduated soon from the Army Air Forces Advanced Flying School at Yuma, Ariz. The graduates will be commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Flight Officers in the Air Force Reserve and will be given the coveted silver wings, symbolic of the aeronautical rating of pilot. They will be placed on active duty in their new rank with the Army Air Forces. Before entering the final and advanced training course at Yuma Army Air Field, Cadet Young completed his primary and basic training at Mira Loma Flight Academy California and Minter Field, Bakersfield. He is a graduate of Woodrow High School and also attended the Pasadena Junior College.

Accepted for training as an air cadet, Stanley Wood, Jr., son of Mrs. L. H. Wood of 221 W. Grand View ave., will leave next Tuesday for one of the Army air training centers. He enlisted immediately after his graduation from Pasadena Junior College in February and has passed all examinations with splendid marks.

Mrs. Elwood Chapman (Martha Tiller) was probably the happiest girl in Sierra Madre on the night of Tuesday, April 13, because her husband, Lieut. Elwood Chapman, of the U. S. Army, talked to her by telephone from "somewhere overseas." She said his voice came clearly and plainly over the wire and that he is safe and well. Mrs. Chapman is

making her home with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Tiller of 522 W. Sierra Madre blvd., while her husband is "over there."

Leslie ("Les") Miller, athletic brother of former City Councilman Thomas Miller, now with a rating of fireman, first class, in the Navy and who has been stationed at San Diego since his enlistment, has been sent to Norfolk, Va., where he will take training to prepare him as a physical director, which carries with it the rating of chief petty officer. While a student at Pasadena Junior College he was prominent in athletics, being an amateur boxer and a member of both the college baseball and football teams. Another brother, Val Miller, is a chief petty officer in the Coast Guard.

Friends and relatives of Reading LeRoy Davis who was stationed at the Naval Base in San Diego for some time have received word that he is now in the Southwest Pacific. Date of his sailing is not known.

Pfc. Charles L. Wilson, son of Mrs. E. O. Wilson of 109 S. Lima st., has been transferred from Keeler Field, Miss., to Lowry Field at Denver, Colo.

Lieut. (j.g.) Ernest Pegler stopped over for a few days this week to visit his parents, City Treasurer and Mrs. C. J. Pegler of 415 E. Orange Grove ave. He was on his way from Treasure Island where he has been stationed for the past two months to the Submarine Chaser Training Center at Miami, Fla.

Robert L. McCullagh has arrived from Beloit, Wis., where he has been in college to await call for pre-aviation cadet training in the Army Air Corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. McCullagh of 154 E. Monticeto ave.

Another War Ration Book On The Way

Top Prices Coming On Six Staple Food Items With Ceilings Fixed

You'll soon add War Ration Book No. 3 to your collection. It will be along late in June or early July, OPA announced this week, but you won't have to go through so much red tape as heretofore to get it. Instead of going to the school building and filling out a questionnaire it will only be necessary to fill out a post card that will come to you through the mail. Directed to the local War Price and Rationing Board it will bring Book No. 3, also through the mail. A plan as simple as that has been worked out.

The new book will combine "unit" stamps which are already familiar to housewives under sugar, coffee and shoe ration programs, and "point" stamps, now being used to buy canned goods, meat cheese and fats. No use will be made of the new replacement book until stamps in current books are used.

The unit stamps will be used for coffee, sugar and shoes, when book one stamps run out in the fall. The point stamps, OPA said, provide a safeguard against the possibility that red stamps now being used under the meat-fats rationing program will run out before the issuance of book 4, now in the drafting stage.

The OPA this week ordered cuts on point values of canned and dried soups, all fruits and frozen vegetables and the removal of blackeyed peas from the ration list. In most cases the reductions cut the coupon cost by more than half, to encourage use of more of these items.

The ten and one half ounce can of tomato soup was cut from six points to three and all other canned soups in the same size were cut from six to four points.

The two and one half ounce package of dried and dehydrated soups was reduced from two to one point. The pound package of frozen fruits was reduced to from 13 to 6 points, and the pound package of frozen baked beans was cut from 8 to 4 points.

The 12 ounce package of frozen vegetables, which has cost from 6 to 12 points, will now be sold for 4 points.

Top prices will soon be paid by Southland consumers for six staple foods, butter, eggs, potatoes, cabbage, brown and white onions and bananas. The O.P.A. says however, that many retailers will have even lower than ceiling prices, depending on how many middlemen take profits on commodities, as they move from the farmer to the ultimate consumer.

Maximum retail prices for the six foods as computed by the O.P.A. are: Butter, one pound, in cartons, 93 score AA, 58 cents, 92 score-A, 57 cents, and 90 score-B, 57 cents.

Eggs, in cartons, jumbo grade AA, 59 cents; extra large grade AA, 57 cents; large grade A, 55 cents; large grade A 53 cents; loose eggs 2 cents less in each grade.

Potatoes, early white California, five pounds, 30 cents; 1942 U. S. No. 1 Idaho, five pounds 30 cents.

Cabbage, Class 1 retailer, 8 cents a pound (new amendment effective April 22, 9 cents a pound); Class 2 retailer, 7 cents a pound (new amendment, effective April 22 8 cents a pound).

Brown onions, 1942 U. S. No. 1 California, three pounds, 27 cents; white onions, 1942 U. S. No. 1 California, two pounds, 30 cents.

Bananas, South America, both loose and in stems, 11 cents a pound; Mexican bananas, both loose and in stems, 12 cents a pound.

The ration board cannot issue special gasoline ration stamps to any man who is in the armed services on furlough or leave, to visit relatives or friends, it was decreed this week.

Lieut. (Dr.) Jacobs In Air Training Camp

Lieut. Nathan Jacobs has been transferred from Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama, to the Nashville Army Air Center in Nashville, Tenn., in the station hospital with the medical corps. His wife, Mrs. Nathan Jacobs and two children reside at 454 Mariposa ave.

Sierra Madreans Near Quota Of \$100,000 In The Second War Loan Drive

Arcadia Is Finally Given A Ration Board Of Its Own

Persistent efforts by Arcadia's well organized merchant's association, its Chamber of Commerce and city officials have at long last brought that city a War Price and Rationing Board of its own which will start functioning about May 1. The growing community about the race track has bitterly resented the fact that it was made part of a rationing district along with Sierra Madre and Monrovia, with headquarters in the latter city. It has kept up a continuous protest as more of its citizens were obliged to travel to Monrovia, its hated rival, to take care of their every rationing need. Finally every organization in the community included its membership in a petition for a home operated ration board. The petition was acted upon favorably by OPA last week and one of its field workers has been assigned to the training of a staff of paid and volunteer workers that will include officers of several organizations and a number of city councilmen and other officials. The headquarters will be located in Wheeler street in a building formerly occupied by the USO.

Traces Cause Of Juvenile Delinquency

Leaders Must Set Example For Impressionable Youth Says Judge Scott

When there is an average of one delinquent juvenile among five hundred the situation is not as alarming as many seem to believe, Judge Robert H. Scott of the Los Angeles Superior Court told the Kiwanis Club at its Tuesday noon luncheon in the Masonic Temple. He believed governmental agencies are handling the problem fairly well, he said, but great responsibility rests with leaders of the moral forces in keeping impressionable youths from becoming delinquents.

"The fulfillment of their lives depends upon what we give them now," said Judge Scott. "We should reinforce the wholesome elements found in normal times and continue them now so that in spite of wartime changes these elements can be sustained. The basic foundation of all good things for boys and girls are the spiritual institutions, the church and Sunday school, with the right attitude of leaders toward God and the fellow man."

The program of Boy Scouts is educationally tops and worth every bit of money and time we can put into it because the values it teaches are lasting values, the speaker said, adding the YMCA program is comparable and doing really good work.

It is not enough, he said, simply to get the youth groups together, but they must have a program that is educational and adapted to the needs of a group. Essential moral and spiritual values must be interpreted in such a way that the youth can grasp them. Leaders must not dominate, but facilitate, help and inspire. Sponsoring organizations, such as churches, PTA and Kiwanis are needed to keep the program going.

Leaders must be mentally and morally qualified, Judge Scott said, and must have training for the job, plus interest in the problems of children. Children are rejected by the community, and the children of their own particular age group are the ones that are most likely to be delinquents.

The very best remedy he thought is to marshal public opinion among age groups so that these potential delinquents are taken in by the group, made a part of it, and their energies turned into constructive channels. There is nothing like the feeling of "not belonging" to produce a potential delinquent, he declared.

Camp Editor Now

Robert G. Sears, former newspaperman in this area, and correspondent for the Los Angeles Times, is now stationed at the Quonset Point Naval Air Station, Quonset Point, R. I., as a seaman, first class. He is editor of the Quonset Scout, naval station newspaper.

Portion Not Yet Subscribed Must Be Taken Up By Small Investors

With the Second War Loan drive only ten days old it was announced last night that Sierra Madre had subscribed approximately 87 per cent of its quota of \$100,000.

There is no doubt in the minds of members of the local committee that the quota will be met within the next week, though the smaller investors will be called upon to make up the remainder of the quota, most of the citizens with larger earnings and bank accounts having been among those first called upon by the committee.

"M. Penn Phillips, one of our fellow townsmen and county vice chairman of the War Savings Committee tells us that St. Louis, Missouri, went over the top on the first day of the campaign in that city," said Glenn L. Alspach, chairman of the local committee, "and that St. Louis is now well on its way to doubling its quota. That is probably too much to hope for here, but I do hope Sierra Madreans understand the gravity of the war situation and they will lend their government at least \$125,000."

"Our committee wishes to express its deep appreciation to those of our citizens who are really working hard to make the campaign here a success. President R. C. Lewis of the Sierra Madre Savings Bank has been most kind and helpful, using his banking experience and facilities for our benefit. Those men and women who have been working night and day making house to house calls have shown their patriotism in no uncertain way. Among them are Dan C. Reib, Merritt Williams, George F. Gillette, J. S. Weber, Dr. Arthur O. Pritchard, Dr. John L. Woehler, Carl T. Colt and Mr. Whitney, who have given unsparingly of their time and efforts.

"Significance of the loan campaign slogan—They Give Their Lives. . . You Lend Your Money," seems to be fully understood by the people of Sierra Madre. They understand that unless we win this war we will have neither money nor freedom and that delay in winning it will cost more lives and more money so that we shall all have less. With this understanding they lend gladly."

Red Cross Class To Make Surgical Dressings Here

A room has been reserved in the city hall for use of the Red Cross for the making of surgical dressings. The Red Cross is sending out an urgent call for women who will volunteer to take a two day instruction course in Pasadena, to learn the correct preparation of dressings, after which they will instruct and supervise workers at the workshop here. Women who are interested are requested to contact Mrs. William Colligan at 6894 or to leave their names with Mrs. Peterson at Red Cross headquarters.

The Red Cross also wants ping pong and card tables, horse shoes and radios for the soldiers at the Eller's estate and Monastery convalescent hospitals. Anyone having old quilted bed pads, are asked to turn them over to the Red Cross, where they will be converted into hospital slippers.

Light drizzles of April 15 and 16 contributed another .03 of an inch to the season's rainfall, bringing the total at the city pumping station to 38.49 inches. A the same time last year the total was 14.05. High fogs obscured the sun during the mornings this week, holding the temperatures down. For the week they have been:

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	Max.	Min.
April 15	68°	54°
April 16	66°	50°
April 17	62°	51°
April 18	68°	48°
April 19	76°	48°
April 20	76°	48°
April 21	65°	50°

If every man, woman and child in the United States lays aside \$100 the aggregate will be about \$13,000,000,000 or the amount the Treasury must raise in its Second War Loan.

Social Notes

KENTUCKY GIRL BECOMES
A SOLDIER'S BRIDE

In a charming ceremony, Miss Helen Beatrice Leigh was married to Lawrence Dye, U. S. Army, at the Sierra Madre Hotel, Saturday evening, April 10.

The young couple are both from Somerset, Kentucky. The dining room of the hotel was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. An impromptu altar, banked with flowers and greenery, was attractively arranged at one side of the room. Chaplain Richard D. Swinney of Camp Santa Anita read the marriage service.

The bride, who wore a winter white dress with a shoulder corsage of American Beauty roses, was attended by Mrs. Bertha Hix, as matron of honor. Sgt. Charles Hix served Pvt. Dye as best man.

A reception for the wedding party and guests was held immediately after the ceremony in the hotel, where the young couple

are making their home. Guests present were Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Hix, Cpl. and Mrs. Caldeen Gunter, Mrs. W. H. Guinn, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Guinn, Jr., Mrs. S. Saval and family, J. C. Loomis, Peggy Skeels, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry McDougall and Louis Mariotti.

Pvt. Dye is stationed at the Ordnance Training Center at Camp Santa Anita, Arcadia.

Mrs. Ross Marshall was hostess to the central committee of the Girl Scout Council, Tuesday. Members present were Mesdames H. Dowding, R. D. Andrews, Harry Lange, Noren Eaton, Sam Haskins, Steve O'Donnell, Ralph Valencia and Mr. Noren Eaton.

PATRICIA ANDREWS
BECOMES A TRITON

Miss Patricia Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Andrews of 692 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., has been elected to Triton, the women's service organization at Pasadena Junior College. Membership is based on an accumulation of service points. Each new member has served the student body in various ways, by giving volunteer service in the faculty offices, selling war bonds, working in information booths and assisting new students to become oriented to college life.

Junior Women Will
Hear State Leader
Here This Evening

Miss Eleanor Gidds, state vice-president of California Federation of Junior Women's Clubs, will be guest of honor at a meeting tonight (Thursday) of the local Juniors' Club at the Woman's clubhouse at 8 p.m. She will be introduced by Nita Twedell.

Hostesses for the evening will be Glean Drury, Jean Edwards, Jean Tate and Ann Hutchinson. A short musical program will follow the meeting.

Nita Twedell, Winnie Lees and Glean Drury attended the Los Angeles District convention Friday and Saturday at the Alexandria Hotel.

At the banquet Friday night, each president gave a three-minute talk on club activities for the past year. Nita Twedell was guest on the "Do or Die" quiz program, broadcast from the hotel.

Plans are now underway for the annual Junior Day, when the Juniors will honor the Senior group of women. A complete report on the Junior activities for the year will be given.

RATION DATES

MEATS, BUTTER, FATS, CHEESE and CANNED FISH—Red "A" coupons in War Ration Book No. 2 good until April 30; "B" coupons valid until April 30; "C" coupons valid until April 30; "D" coupons valid April 19 to 30, but no date set for expiration of "E" coupons. . . . One point coupons may be used for change by merchants.

SUGAR—Coupon No. 12 in Ration Book No. 1 good for five pounds through May 31.

COFFEE—Coupon 26 in Ration Book No. 1 good for one pound through April 24.

SHOES—Coupon 17 in Ration Book No. 1 good for one pair of shoes through June 15.

CANNED, dried, frozen and bottled Fruit, Vegetables—May be bought with "D", "E" and "F" coupons throughout April.

GASOLINE—No. 5 coupons in "A" books good for four gallons each through May 21.

Books Everyone Wants To Read Arrive
At City's Public Library

Several of the most talked about books of the war period were in the latest consignment of reading matter received at the public library and are now available to local borrowers. Topping the list is "Guadalcanal Diary" that was a best seller the minute it came from the publishing house, and "Battle for the Solomons" by Wolfert.

Scarcely less in demand if not quite so dramatic is former Ambassador Grew's "Report from Tokyo", "The Russians", by Williams, "Social Insurance", by Beveridge, and Angell's "Let the People Know". Among the other new non-fiction volumes are "Introduction to Navigation", Barton; "Shipstructure and Blue Print

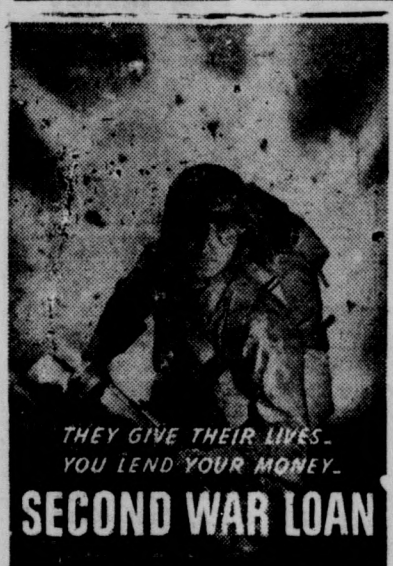
Reading", Reed, and a drama, "Spring Again", by Leighton. Among the fiction newcomers are "Human Comedy", Saroyan; "Mr. Winkle Goes To War", Pratt; "Voice of the Trumpet", Henriques; "Little Man", Sallans; "Tunnel from Calais", Rame; "Night Over The Wood", Addis; "Happy Land", Kantor; "Whole Heart", Howe; "Arrows Into The Sun", Lauritzen; "Journal For Josephine", Nathan; "Cloud Walking", Campbell; "Harvey Girls", Adams, and "Sugarfoot", Kelland.

During March the library loaned 3408 volumes; 2795 adult and 3408 juveniles. Fifty one percent of the adults went in for fiction as against 30 percent for non-fiction.

Thirteen billion dollars, the sum the Treasury must raise in the Second War Loan drive, is only one sixth of the estimated cost of the war for the fiscal year of 1943.

PRIZES SIGNATURE OF MADAME CHIANG

Dr. J. Earl Gossard is the proud owner of certificate signed by Madame Chiang Kai Shek during her stay in Los Angeles in recognition of his efforts in behalf of her heroic countrymen. Dr. Gossard, a long time resident of China, is president of the China Society of California and the certificate, a simple but effective example of Chinese art, is being framed for the most important place on the walls of the doctor's office. It is signed "May Ling Soong Chiang".



Buy More War Bonds Today

Church Announcements

Congregational
The Church of the Singing Tower
Rev. Frederic Grootsema, Pastor
HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Maundy Thursday Evening—8:00 P.M. The Office of Tenebrae. Holy Communion and Reception of members.

Easter Day Communion—7:00 A.M. In the Chapel. Reception of Members.

Easter Fellowship Breakfast—8:00.

Church School Service—9:45.

Easter Worship Service—11:00 A.M. Dedication of Infants. Reception of the Pastor's Class.

Sermon: "The Empty Cross Speaks".

There will be lovely, appropriate music at the Easter Services and the public is cordially invited to worship with us on this Holy Day.

The Bethany Church

(The Round Stone Church)
Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Minister

Sunday—

9:30 a.m.—Bible School. Classes for all ages.

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. Easter Sermon, "Why Believe in the Resurrection."

6:30 p.m.—Christian Endeavor Societies.

7:30 p.m.—An Evening of Easter music by the choir.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m.

Church of the Ascension

(Episcopal)
Corner Baldwin and Laurel Aves.
Rev. John S. Neal, Rector
Dean A. G. H. Bode, Organist

GOOD FRIDAY

The Three Hours' Devotions will be conducted by the Rector from 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. with the Rev. Martin D. Kneeland giving the meditations on the Seven Words from the Cross, and Dean A. G. H. Bode officiating at the organ.

EASTER EVEN

On Easter Even (Holy Saturday) the ceremony of the New Fire and Lighting of the Paschal Candle will take place at 4:00 p.m., to be followed by the Sacrament of Holy Baptism to children and adults. Water from the river Jordan will be used for this occasion. Parents having children for Baptism, or adults desiring Baptism, are asked to notify the Rector not later than

EASTER DAY

7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion

10:30 a.m.—Festival Choral Eucharist and Church School.

The Choir will sing the St. Cecilia's Mass under the direction of Dean A. G. H. Bode at this service.

Christian Science

Hermosa and Highland Aves.
First Church of Christ, Scientist
Branch of The Mother Church,
The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

Sunday Service, 11 a.m.

"God will redeem my soul from the power of the grave: for he shall receive me." This declaration from the Psalms is the Golden Text in the Sunday Lesson.

Sermon on "Probation after Death" in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Testimonials of Christian Science will be given.

St. Rita's Shrine

Rev. Leo Schmetel, C. P.
Pastor

Masses daily, 6:30 and 8 a.m. except Saturday when Mass is said at 6:30 only.

Sunday, 6:30, 8 and 11 a.m.

Evening devotions Tuesday at 7:30.

Gospel Meetings

Services and Study
B. W. Jones, Pastor

241 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Sunday—

Services have been discontinued at the Masonic Temple.

New address and time of meetings, Sunday evenings 7:45 p.m.

Thursday evening, 7:45 p.m.

Kingdom Message

44 Windsor Lane
Pastor, Rev. Charlie Rees

Sunday—

3 p.m.—Regular sermon.

Tuesdays—

10 a.m.—Bible study.

Church of The Nazarene

191 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Rev. Mrs. Thelma Steelman,
Minister

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

Young Peoples Service, 6:30.

Prayer meeting, 7:30, Wednesday.

NURSES TO MEET

The regular meeting of the Registered Nurses Unit will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. James, 38 E. Grandview ave., Tuesday, April 27 at 10 a.m. All members are urged to attend.

STATE PICNICS

The Pennsylvania spring picnic and reunion will be held April 24th, in Sycamore Grove.

BACK UP
YOUR BOY

Buy an Additional
Bond Today



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Thur.-Sat. Apr. 22-24

"IT COMES UP LOVE"

Starring Gloria Jean and Ian Hunter

—also—

"The Great Impersonation"

with Ralph Bellamy
Also Short Subjects

Sun.-Tue. Apr. 25-27

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Our grand business in life is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

—Carlyle.

NOT AN INFANT NOW

Considering California's rank position as a producer on an increasing number of nation-wide lists, it is difficult to see exactly why Washington persists in treating this State like the proverbial step-child.

Here are some figures released by the State Chamber of Commerce, which should be pointed out to those slow to recognize that California is no longer a territory of mining towns strung together by dusty mountain paths—the conception some government sources seem to have in mind when this State's problems are discussed:

California industries have more than tripled production in the past three years. Last year, industry employed 24,000 new workers every month, with a payroll for the period of nearly a billion and a half dollars. That means that this one State produced almost seven per cent of the total national payroll!

And this year, with weekly payrolls at \$39,500,000, the figure will reach over two billions!

California today is the seat of much of the Nation's output. Ships and planes head the list, and food ranks close behind. Following are iron and steel products, petroleum, chemicals, machinery, lumber, stone, clay glass, apparel; textiles, furniture, wood and rubber products, non-ferrous metals and paper. Total value of manufactured products last year reached \$8500,000,000.

California is building a fabulous Western Empire undreamed of brief years ago. And the concrete results of its efforts should lift reluctant Eastern eyes beyond the Mississippi, across the plains and over the Rockies to a greater California, daily contributing her strength and wealth to national greatness.

FOR SUCKERS ONLY

When his gas tank is empty and his "A" card offers only slight encouragement, a fellow is apt to lean a hopeful ear to the sales talk of the stranger with the magic formula that "increases gas mileage."

The temptation, however, should be disregarded, says the National Bureau of Standards, for there's no such miracle mixture extant. The Bureau has tested some 150 such "dopes" and here is its report:

"Gasoline dopes which are sold for addition to gasoline in small quantities (one ounce per gallon or less) can be accepted as of value only on conclusive evidence that they are effective. Exclusive of the well known 'knock suppressors', not a single instance of any important improvement has been observed in any feature of engine performance."

That should be sufficient authority to refute the overly ambitious claims of the trickster who preys these days on motorists who desire to extend their gasoline. He is just another of the war time parasites to be avoided by reasonable people. As one local checking agency points out—if such a "dope" existed, the government, to be sure, would be using it in its jeeps and bombers.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS



THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madrenes, whose birthdays are indicated . . .

Dick Pendergast . . . April 22
Mrs. S. R. Sheriff . . . April 22
K. H. Rhodes . . . April 22
P. C. Kotkamp . . . April 23
Frances Thompson . . . April 23
Frank Lovell . . . April 25
Mrs. Carlo Giuntini . . . April 26
Henry I. Hawhurst . . . April 26
Jacqueline Farver . . . April 26
Cedric O'Bryan . . . April 26
Edward Snyder . . . April 27
John Pinney . . . April 27
Carlyle House . . . April 27
Mrs. Roland Adams . . . April 28
Jack Jensen . . . April 28
Charles Root, Jr. . . . April 28
G. W. Reed . . . April 28

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The.... Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

ALL THE time we were reading this book from our price-less Public Library—Mrs. Rackham Holt's just-published life of George Washington Carver, which she sub-titles *An American Biography*—it was Africa that kept looming up in the background of our thought. Mostly the Africa that had formed there in our childhood from reading Livingston, Burton, Stanley, Mungo Park; George Ebers' *Egyptian Princess*, all of Rider Haggard, and a gorgeous romance called *Kaloolah*, by a Reverend Mr. Mayo. But also the Africa of this War, with boys from our own Sierra Madre fighting there: a blood-offering, it seemed to us, on an altar old as the world—perhaps by way of a partial atonement for our share in that altar's desecration.

FOR George Washington Carver was a living reminder of that desecration. His parents were American slaves. He was an infant when slavery was legally abolished in Missouri—there where he was born—but his mother still was kidnapped by slavery partisans and carried off—to her death. The puny black child that had clung to her breast was later rescued—thanks to the bravery and devotion of old Moses Carver, white, who was to rear him as a son. Meantime, the black slave father of the boy, who'd been "property" on a neighboring plantation, had disappeared without a trace—kidnapped also, probably, or just murdered. Times were like that, then, in large sections of our beloved America. Yet from such beginnings George Washington Carver grew to be not only one of the world's foremost scientists, but a gifted painter and—this above all—a great and modest servant of all God's creatures.

REGARDLESS of which, right on up to the end of his days when he was nearly eighty—he died just this year in January—when the whole scientific world was familiar with his name and had bestowed on him uncounted honors—a good many of our citizens were still calling him "nigger." He'd early learned the significance of the term. Out in the middle West there was a jerkwater college called Highland University, a Sectarian foundation, whose principal then was the Reverend Doctor Duncan Brown. To him young Carver had written, giving a list of his preparatory studies and enclosing various testimonials. The reply came back that these were satisfactory. So a day came when the applicant presented himself to Dr. Brown. The great one looked up sharply. "Well, what do you want?" "I am George W. Carver, sir. I've come to matriculate." "We don't take niggers."

NOT ALL Americans, happily, were like that—more happily for America, herself, we believe, than even for George Washington Carver, his body and his soul. For these latter, manifestly, prospered. Through all his long, laborious life, here so carefully recorded, there is no slightest evidence that he ever became bitter, or lost courage, or sought to escape the hurts and indignities commonly inflicted on his race. He might have become rich and lived in the shelter of some grand center of research—in New York or Philadelphia, in England, Russia, Japan, Brazil. He stuck to his people and his native South, at Booker T. Washington's Tuskegee—stuck to his original salary of \$1500 a year, often neglecting to call for even this small pay. He rode the "Jim Crow" cars, the freight elevators, used the back doors, waited outside when so ordered by lordly doormen.

SURE, there were other white Americans like old Moses Carver—he who reared him. But still, we believe, America has a debt to pay—a staggering debt, perhaps. There'll be, we fear, no "vicarious atonement" here. We doubt there is such anyway. Not that we believe in punishment at all—from without; from within, yes—the well-known anguish of education. An education our boys—in the name of America—are now, by the grace of some Divine, inscrutable Justice, undergoing over there in Africa. Old Africa. So old, that by comparison this America of ours is a mere baby. So young. So ignorant. So endowed, like most infants, with Godlike potentialities—such as old Moses Carver once saw in an infant stranger and which old Mother Africa may now see in us.



Governor Warren has signed a bill offered in the legislature by Assemblyman Sargent of Pasadena under the terms of which California girls attain the legal status of "adults" at the age of 18 years. Divorce or annulment will not change this status once it is obtained. Asking the legislators to pass his bill, Sargent told them that many girls married at that age are embarrassed by being required to have guardians appointed to conduct their business affairs until they reach the age of 21.

Time was when only men went down to the sea in ships, but the

CLIPPED QUIPS

Something else that is decidedly out-of-date is the old-fashioned cook book which told us something like this: "Take a quart of cream, add a dozen eggs, and a pound of butter."

Penurious Pete doesn't mind riding to and from work on the bus. It gives him more time to read the paper—if the man next to him has one.

—Buffalo Evening News
We still believe that aviation has really arrived when we see a two-passenger airplane go by with seven or eight high school students seated in it.

—Wall Street Journal

What They Say --

Catherine Judan, Canadian singer in Calif.—"In war time woman's place is not solely in the home. Women have gone to the wars throughout the ages, and history stars such performers as Helen of Troy, Cleopatra and Joan of Arc. Today, woman's place is wherever she can serve best."

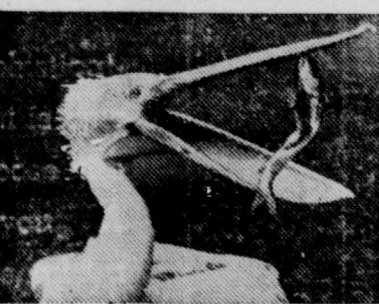
Eleanor Roosevelt, speaking to A.W.V.S. War Bond Chairmen at San Francisco—"You can't win mechanized war with your bare hands! Our job is buying bonds and more bonds—and we must get at it!"

Dr. Salvatore Lucia, U. C. Prof. of Medicine, Berkeley—"Next to heredity, dietary insufficiencies are the most potent factor in producing disease and de-vitalization."



● "Success is counted sweetest by those who ne'er succeed." So if you agree here's a chance to notch another success to your belt.

1. To what country of the world would you have to travel to find the highest waterfall? (a) New Zealand (b) the United States, (c) Natal, (d) British Guiana.



2. This bird is a (a) Cormorant; (b) Pelican; (c) Duckling; (d) White Diver.

3. What war did John Paul Jones fight in? (a) The Revolution, (b) The War of 1812, (c) The Mexican War, (d) The Civil War.

4. Victor Hugo's outstanding novel was "Les Miserables," but can you identify another of his works? (a) "Toilers of the Sea," (b) "For Whom the Bell Tolls," (c) "The Pioneers," (d) "Typee."

5. What group of people would you associate with the expression "there she blows"? (a) Indian fighters, (b) boxers, (c) whalers, (d) musicians.

6. Whistler's most famous painting is called (a) "The Man With a Hoe," (b) "The Reapers," (c) "The Blue Boy," (d) "Mother."

7. Following is a list of four animals. Which of the four does not hibernate during the winter? (a) The bear, (b) a frog, (c) a lion, (d) a chipmunk.

"GUESS AGAIN" ANSWERS

1. 20 points for British Guiana. . . .
2. 15 more for (b). . . .
3. Easy, only 10 for (d). . . .
4. (a) again for 15 points. . . .
5. Take 15 points for (c). . . .
6. (d) is worth 10 more. . . .
7. Add 15 counters for answer (c). . . .
YOUR RATING: 90-100, now you know success; 80-90, after all you had the best of it; 70-80, a taste of success; 60-70, keep trying.

Russians have changed all that—and grizzled old salts who frequent the docks are ready to concede that soon American ships may be carrying women crew members, even though union officials have thus far turned thumbs down on all such proposals. Soviet ships docking at California ports have even had women as captains and first and second mates.

The need of the United Nations for ammunition is so great that production in the United States this year will require about as much copper as the entire consumption of copper for all purposes in this country in 1929—biggest pre-war year. Besides ammunition, copper goes into many other phases of the war—planes, tanks, Jeeps, ships, communications. A single company pours into American arsenals, fabricating companies and shipyards tens of millions of pounds of copper every week. The mines have to struggle mightily to get enough copper to meet these vital needs. Early scrap drives brought some in, but now more and more scrap is needed. The Army itself has begun excavations on practice rifle range butts at one Army camp, and is reclaiming spent ammunition that had piled up for years. The yield thus far has been about 70 pounds of copper in a cubic yard of dirt.

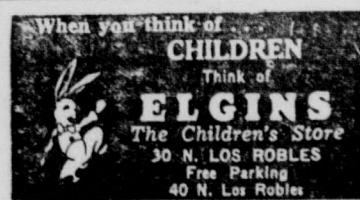
Deaf mutes are used as instructors at Vultee Aircraft's Downey plant, because green workers learn faster from pan-

FIRE FLAMES

Friday is regular fire drill and meeting night. It is very urgent that all attend. Never before has it been necessary to remind members of the meeting nights. We cannot neglect this duty at a time like this. Much depends on the firemen in case of an emergency.

To safeguard the community many improvements could be made in the fire department and it is hoped that many of the weaknesses can be remedied. There are times of the day, (every day) and at night, when to have a man or men at hand to man the trucks, would be an assurance that the equipment would arrive at the scene of the fire in good time. A great deal of time is consumed from the time a fire call comes into the station until the alarm is set. If it were possible for a driver to be present when the call comes in he could have a truck on the way before the alarm is sounded. With members of the department living in all parts of the city, it takes very little time for them to get to the scene of the fire to assist the truck driver.

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tominme than from oral directions. . . . An American company is devoting a rayon yarn originally designed for heavy fabrics such as those used in professionals' football pants to the making of parachutes from which guerilla armies in occupied Europe are supplied. . . . The newest Douglas aircraft plant near Oklahoma City has a solid, windowless wall of double brick running nearly two miles.

British motor vehicles are being operated satisfactorily on gases produced from readily obtainable supplies of sawdust. Greatest advantage of this alternative motor fuel is that it functions almost instantaneously—an important factor for short trips or in heavy traffic. The producer-gas unit is a trailer plant somewhat larger in size than the usual conversion type, the new unit consisting of a fuel hopper and expansion chamber

from which gases are circulated. The firing mechanism is reported as unique. The driver lights a match, unscrews a plug, applies the light and replaces the plug. The car takes off in a matter of seconds on the gas generated by the burning sawdust. The complete plant costs approximately \$640.

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A.L.A. Activities

Our Unit met at the home of President Catherine Miller on April 8th. If our 32 members have been as busy in War work as the 12 who were present we will have a record to be proud of. 3972 hours spent in War activities totaling 3972 hours were reported. These include: first aid, nutrition, home nursing, canteen corps, staff assistants and other Red Cross courses and Red Cross work such as blood donors, sewing, knitting, dressings, clerical work, also aircraft work including observers, attendants in air raid centers, all civilian defense work, salvage, selling of bonds and stamps, collecting magazines and other contributions for camps and USO.

Hospital Chairman Lotta Hopper and her committee are busy making baby quilts for expectant mothers, wives of service men who are living here in Sierra Madre.

Secretary Stinman read interesting letters from our two absent members, Ruth Kelleher and Edith Woodruff. Edith tells us that in spare moments of her busy life in Washington, she finds time for some war work such as locating missing soldiers and sailors and working on the Red Cross drive in her building. Meat is as scarce and expensive there as it is here. She says she may get home to Sierra Madre this summer.

Leila Embree had just received a letter from son Sam who is now located in a Camp near Sandy Point, Idaho.

Our two vineyard members, Grace Calkin and Louise Block, are home for a short vacation before the grape industry starts out in full force.

Poppy Chairman Orelia Stinman had planned to submit the Poppy Posters for judging at the contest closed on April 1st but when she went to collect the posters, she was disappointed as the schools decided not to participate. Last year we had such a fine exhibit of Poppy Posters that Units from surrounding towns borrowed Sierra Madre school posters to place in store windows over Poppy Day.

Our next Unit meeting will be held this evening at the home of Lotta Hopper, 317 Auburn ave. at 7:30 o'clock. Come early and see the white Wistaria in bloom.—Maybelle C. Barker, Press Chairman.

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An audience of Sierra Madrenans and residents of surrounding communities filled the First Congregational Church here last Thursday night to hear a lecture on Christian Science by Gavin W. Allan, C. S. B. of Toronto, Canada, member of the Board of Lectureship of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, Mass. His subject was "Christian Science; the Revelation of the Kingdom of Heaven."

The lecturer was introduced by Mrs. Adeline N. Dingman, first reader of the Sierra Madre Christian Church, who said: "The members of the First Church of Christ, Scientist of Sierra Madre have a great joy in welcoming to this evening, to hear Mr. Gavin W. Allan of Toronto, Can., member of the Board of Lectureship of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass. May we open our hearts and minds that our lives may be enriched in this hour. May we receive healing and abundant blessing from this lecture." Mr. Allan said:

"The kingdom of heaven" is a New Testament phrase. Its earliest use seems to have been by John the Baptist, who came proclaiming, "Repent ye; for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." Repent means change your mind, change your way of thinking, change the very basis of your thinking from the material to the spiritual. Human beings have been educated to think of themselves and all that pertains to them as material in origin and existence. They have been taught that they are mortals, that they live in a material universe, and are subject to laws of matter. This is not the real truth about man. The Bible reveals that God, Spirit, is the only creator, and that man is His expression, a spiritual being, living in a spiritual universe, and it urges us to awaken to this truth. As we do we shall find that "the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

Our Master frequently spoke of "the kingdom of heaven," and on one occasion as recorded in the thirteenth chapter of Matthew he endeavored to explain this phrase by a number of parables or stories. Possibly one of Jesus' earliest utterances may be the saying on this subject. You will remember that, as we are told in the fourth chapter of Luke, Jesus "came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up; and, as his custom was, he went into the synagogue on the sabbath day, and stood up for to read." And this is the passage he read, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised." When he had finished reading Jesus announced, "This day is this scripture fulfilled in your ears."

It was to be Jesus' mission to meet the needs of the poor, the brokenhearted, the captives, the blind, and the bruised. In other words, Jesus came to prove that, as Mary Baker Eddy has expressed it in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 494), "Divine Love always has met and always will meet every human need." Economic needs, mental needs, social needs, physical needs, spiritual needs all were to be met. Jesus came to reveal by his words and works not only what God is but what He does for men. He proved that the kingdom of heaven is here and is available to men now. Many people believe that the kingdom of heaven has little to do with "here" and "now." They believe that if there is such a condition it belongs to some distant future and can be entered only through the experience of death. They believe that death is a gateway to paradise, a stepping-stone to life. When we have such a conception, does the Bible teach any such doctrine? Did Jesus speak of death in this way? The Bible speaks of death, not as a friend, not as a progressive step, but as an enemy, something to be overcome.

The entrance to the kingdom of heaven is, as the Bible puts it, through repentance, a new birth, or, as Paul puts it, "the renewing of your mind." Such steps can be taken now. If the kingdom of heaven is to be found at all, it is to be found where we are, and the advice of the wisest and most scientific man the world has ever seen is that we make the seeking of this kingdom our first consideration. Where may we be informed about it? How shall we seek it? The Bible tells us what it is, and the Christian Science textbook outlines practical steps to be taken toward finding it. With these books as our guides, and their directions faithfully followed, we cannot miss the way.

The Poor

"To preach the gospel to the poor" is the phrase of the Messianic mission of Christ Jesus mentioned first in the passage we quoted a few moments ago. What sort of news do you think would be good news to the poor? Would they consider it good news to be told that they were born to poverty, and that there was no way of escape from it? Would it help them to be told that if they would bear their poverty patiently they would be compensated by riches hereafter? If such statements were true they would undoubtedly be helpful. But they are not true. They

carry an implication that God has made us poor for some reason and for others; that there is a law of compensation which works materially, by which those who are rich in material things hereafter become poor, and those who are deprived of material things now, will in the future have an abundance of them. There is no such law. The fact is, God is not cognizant of matter or things material.

It would, however, be good news to the poor were they to hear that right doing and honest dealing do not produce poverty; that poverty is not a result of obedience to the laws of God. It would help them were they to learn that God does not send poverty to anyone; that He did not create it; that it does not belong to or exist in His kingdom; and that it is one of those conditions of thought from which a knowledge of the truth about God and man will make free.

During the years of his ministry Jesus associated with both the poor and the rich. He loved the poor neither more nor less than he loved the rich. He made no virtue of poverty, nor did he condemn riches, though he did condemn trust in riches. Poverty is not a virtue. It is a phase of limitation which should be overcome. Poverty is a denial of the allness, the goodness, and the everywhere-ness of God. It is not adequately defined by the term "lack of money." It is a state of mind. The poorest person I have ever known was a man who had more money than anyone else in the neighborhood. Poverty is a state of mind, and its antidote is the truth as expressed by Mrs. Eddy on page 5 of "The First Church of Christ, Scientist, and Miscellany," in these words: "Christian Science comes to reveal man as God's image, His idea, coexistent with Him—God giving all and man having all that God gives."

But someone may ask, What does God give? Centuries ago the writer of the ninety-first Psalm gave his readers a clue. He said, "The kingdom of heaven is at hand." The kingdom of heaven, based, as most promises are, upon a specific condition. The condition was, "Because thou hast made the Lord . . . thy habitation." The promise was, "There shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling." And the reason given was, "For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways." God gives His angels charge over us. His angels are not some sort of winged creatures. Angels are defined in our textbook, in part (p. 581), as "God's thoughts passing to man; spiritual intuitions, pure and perfect."

God does not give men material things, for the simple reason He has no such things to give. He does, however, give us something more substantial. Hear this statement of Mrs. Eddy given on page 307 of "Miscellaneous Writings": "God gives you His spiritual ideas, and in turn, they give you daily supplies. Never ask for to-morrow: it is enough that divine Love is an ever-present help; and if you wait, never doubting, you will have all you very much need." This does not mean that one should do nothing, should make no effort, and expect to be fed by the ravens. If you have any such notion listen again, "God gives you His spiritual ideas, and in turn, they give you daily supplies." Did you notice those words, "in turn, they give you"? In other words, God gives you His ideas, His qualities, and as you use them, they supply you. You have something to do. You have your part to play. Your part is to reflect God. Whether your daily task is sweeping a street or managing a railroad, your work is to reflect intelligence, wisdom, energy, activity, etc., qualities which reflect God, and if you intelligently and actively reflect God, your needs will assuredly be met.

The word "poor" may have, however, an entirely different meaning. It is used to mean "the receptive thought" (see Science and Health, 34:16), those who are hungering for the truth and ready to receive it. Jesus recognized that human thought may have various grades of receptivity. He illustrated these in his parable of the sower. He likened them to "the way side," "stony places," "among thorns," and "good ground." The good ground illustrated the receptive thought, where the seed brought forth abundantly. Is it any wonder Jesus said "their is the kingdom of heaven"?

Mary Baker Eddy

History records that many times pioneers have made expeditions into the unknown, and bravely facing they knew not what of trials and danger, have returned with accounts of the wonders of new lands. After the courageous explorer had found and mapped the way, others followed and reaped rewards.

In 1866 Mary Baker Eddy, a gentle and pious descendant of sturdy New England pioneers, yearned to see beyond the commonly accepted limits of human experience. Surely, she felt, there must be a land beyond this region of distress and danger, a land of peace and safety. She pondered these questions and through her study of the life and works of our Master and his followers she found the answer.

Describing the conditions for which she sought a remedy, and the struggles through which she passed in finding it, she has written (Science and Health, pp. 226, 227): "The lame, the deaf, the dumb, the blind, the sick, the sensual, the sinner, I wished to save from the slavery of their own beliefs and from the educational systems of the Pharisees, who to-day, as of yore, hold the children of Israel in bondage. I saw before me the awful bondage, I pressed Sea and the wilderness; but I pressed on through faith in God, trusting Truth, the strong deliverer, to guide me into the land of Christian Science, where fetters fall and the rights of man are fully known and acknowledged."

Describing her experience at this time, Mrs. Eddy has told us in "Retrospection and Introspection" (pp. 27, 28): "The divine hand led me into a new world of light and life, a fresh universe—old to God, but new to His 'little one.' It became evident that the divine Mind alone must answer, and be found as the Life, or Principle, of all being; and that one must acquaint himself with

God, if he would be at peace. He must be ours practically, guiding our every thought and action; else we cannot understand the omnipresence of good sufficiently to demonstrate, even in part, the Science of the perfect Mind and divine healing."

Having discovered through her courageous and unselfish labors the weakness of time, she devoted herself to proving that it is a present possibility for human beings today, by healing men and women of various types of disease quickly and permanently. Then she committed her discovery to writing so that anyone may find the way to this kingdom of peace and harmony.

No one knows how many have been immeasurably blessed as a result of Mrs. Eddy's discovery, which she afterwards named Christian Science. I am one. My introduction to Christian Science came through a newspaper. One morning one of our daily papers printed a letter written by a man who quite evidently felt that Christian Science was something which every right-thinking individual should avoid. He seemed to be very much stirred up about it. Indeed he seemed to be considerably heated up about it, and I became curious to find out what had generated so much heat. So I sent the paper to my wife, and whether there was any literature on the subject and the Christian Science textbook was brought to me. In the two weeks I was allowed to have it out I read it through. I renewed the loan and read it through again. I renewed it again and read it through again. That is, within six weeks I had read it through the words Christian Science for the first time. I had read the textbook through three times; and through the reading of that book I was healed of a serious condition of the lungs from which I had suffered for a number of years. It might be of further interest to you to hear that I did not know of the existence of Christian Science church, a Christian Science practitioner, or even a Christian Scientist. Who can measure humanity's debt to Mrs. Eddy?

The Brokenhearted

To return to the subject we were discussing. The second phase of the Messianic mission of Christ Jesus mentioned by Luke was "to heal the brokenhearted;" that is, the downcast, the depressed, the mentally needy. What heavy hearts we sometimes carry! How sorry for ourselves we seem to become! Selfishness is a great enemy, ready to knock at one's mental door. The moment anything goes wrong with our plans, our human relations, our business prospects, or our bodily health, the first guests to call at our mental home are fear and self-pity. And if we let them in we shall find ourselves mourning. "Oh my!" or "This is terrible!" These intruders are not friends. They should be refused admittance.

The way out of any untoward situation is not by dwelling upon it, by accepting it as real and true, but by mentally turning away from it to what is really true, to the great fact that God, who is infinite Love, is governing the universe now, and nothing can interfere with His government. Such a realization will lift us above the down-drag of self-centered thinking and set us free.

But the brokenhearted one may say, "My trouble is discouragement; every effort I have made has ended in failure, and I am thoroughly discouraged." Samuel Longfellow must have tasted some such experience and found its remedy. He wrote:

"Discouraged in the work of life,
Disheartened by its load,
Shamed by its failures or its fears,
I sink beside the road;
But let me only think of Thee,
And then new heart springs up in me."

Longfellow was right. Courage is a moral quality, not dependent in any way upon physical strength or weakness. David knew courage to be a moral asset much needed in human experience. His own life, tempted and triumphant, and set with personal and national pitfalls, called for all that courage means. He wrote, "Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart." We may not have to do with the affairs of the nation, but every one who strives valiantly for the right may have trials and defeats as did the king of ancient Israel, but the courage which fits us to face and discipline ourselves will equip us to meet every discordant situation which may arise, and will arm us for every battle against failure and wrong.

Discouragement is a word which Mrs. Eddy used but once in her writings, and then with the admonition that we never yield to it. Discouragement is based upon a belief that evil is more powerful or more persistent than good. Because Christian Science is founded upon the truth that God, who is good, is the only power, the student of Christian Science is being equipped to recognize and defeat the arguments of discouragement. There is one mental quality with which discouragement cannot dwell; that is gratitude. And gratitude may be the guest of each one of us every moment. If we would conquer discouragement, let us count our blessings.

On the other hand, the brokenhearted one may say: "My trouble is self-condemnation. I did something years ago for which I have been condemning myself ever since. I know this is hurting me, but I cannot stop it. For anyone in that condition the rule regarding 'forgetting those things which are behind' would be helpful, if followed. But he may say, 'How can that be done?'"

We human beings divide what we call time into three parts—past, present, and future—and then we frequently cause ourselves much unhappiness as a result of this classification. For instance, have you ever found yourself dwelling in thought for moments or hours at a time upon some untoward incident of the past, or, on the other hand, have you ever caught yourself occupying the moments as they pass in fearful anticipation of some unfavorable thing you might happen to do at some time in the future? Or, to put it

differently, have you not at times neglected the present, wasted its moments, unused its opportunities, while, as Burns put it:

"I backward cast my e'e,
On prospects drear!
Ah! forward, tho' I cannot see,
I guess an fear."

Now, if we live in the past we are apt to live in regret. If we live in the future we are frequently living in fear. But there is only one time in which we can actually live, that we place between past and future, the present, the now. Mrs. Eddy has said (The First Church of Christ, Scientist, and Miscellany, p. 12): "We own no past, no future, we possess only now." So if you find your thought dwelling regretfully on the past, or running fearfully forward into the future, bring it right back to the present, to now, to the time you can neither regret nor fear.

But to look at another phase of the subject—the brokenhearted one may say: "My trouble is grief; my dearest friend has passed away, and I cannot get over my grief. Why did God do this to me?" In the first place God's name should be cleared of any responsibility in the matter. God has never caused anyone to die. As our Life, and it is unthinkable that infinite Life could produce death.

Next, suppose we ask this person a question or two. Is your sorrow for your friend? Has the experience he has gone through done him any harm? It could not have done so. He has but passed the portal of a new experience. On the other hand, the loss you have sustained? It may not seem easy to rise above grief, but as you awaken through your study of Christian Science, to see that nothing has occurred to deprive you in any way of a single manifestation of God's love and care, you will gain a complete victory over it. As our textbook points out (p. 386): "You will learn at length that there is no cause for grief, and divine wisdom will then be understood. Error, not Truth, produces all the suffering on earth."

The Captives

To go back to the passage from Luke we quoted in the beginning, the third group mentioned was "the captives." The captives were to be delivered. Today every human being is in bondage to some extent. Physical slavery has been largely abolished, but mental slavery is still common. Bondage to false education, to custom, to caste, to unjust laws. Mrs. Eddy yearned to make known to those so enslaved the freedom which was rightfully theirs. She wrote on page 226 of Science and Health, "The voice of God in behalf of the African slave was still echoing in our land, when the voice of the herald of this new crusade sounded the keynote of universal freedom, asking a fuller acknowledgment of the rights of man as a Son of God, demanding that the fetters of sin, sickness, and death be stricken from the human mind and that its freedom be won, not through human warfare, not with bayonet and blood, but through Christ's divine Science."

From Genesis to Revelation the message of the Bible is "overcome." "Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good" is its heartening message to each one of us. But this overcoming does not imply a battling with evil as a terrifying reality. Rather is it a lifting of our thought above it through a recognition of what is really true about ourselves as "sons of God."

Every human being must deal with the belief of evil, and he must deal with it either from the basis that it is true, or that it is false. Many deal with evil as something which is real and true. The Christian Scientist has learned to deal with evil as something which God did not make, hence neither real nor true. Let us see how our Master dealt with it. Was it the purpose of Jesus' mission to support the claim of evil's reality, or to deny it? To make something of it, or to make nothing of it? Did not his every act tend to prove that the real man is free from every phase of evil?

There is a story told about Abraham Lincoln. At a critical moment during one of the battles an officer came to him and said, "Mr. Lincoln, don't you think that we should pray for God to be on our side?" And Lincoln said, "Better pray that we be on God's side." Overcoming is then really a casting in of our lot with God. God will be for us, and ever-present help when we rely on Him.

Appetites and passions claim to enslave humanity through a belief that the body is intelligent and can therefore experience pleasure. Christian Science differs from all other religions in its teaching that there is no intelligence or reality in matter. When through the study of Christian Science one awakens to the great truth that "sin confers no pleasure" (Science and Health, p. 404) he awakens also to the powerlessness of the passions to enslave him; then he begins to intelligently assert his dominion over them, and becomes free. The warfare against sin and sickness must be waged and the victory won before we can enter fully upon the joys of the kingdom of heaven.

Jesus told us that except our righteousness should exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, which was a mere keeping of the letter of the law, we could not enter into the kingdom of heaven. To enter that kingdom we must be "born again." What does that mean? John explains it, "As many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God." Commenting on this passage, Mrs. Eddy has written (Miscellaneous Writings, p. 182): "As many as received him, that is, as many as perceive man's actual existence in and of his divine Principle, receive the truth of existence; and these have no other God, no other Mind, no other origin; therefore, in time they lose their false sense of existence, and find their adoption with the Father; to wit, the redemption of the body. Through divine Science man gains the power to become the son of God, to recognize his perfect and eternal estate."

That statement raises a question: What am I? We human beings are prone to think of ourselves as material beings, as weighing so much, as being tall or short, stout or thin, as occupying so much space. But this assumption requires examination. Is my body my true selfhood? Am I my body? Is it not obvious that I must be more than anything I call mine, whether it be my brain or my body? If my real selfhood is much greater than anything I call mine, what am I? Is it not clear that I must be "the outcome of God" (Science and Health, p. 250), God's child, His idea?

But another question arises. Where am I? Where do I live? Do I live inside my material body, or outside of it? If I live inside of it, how is it that I seem to know more about the outside than the inside of it? But is there any proof whatever that I reside inside my body? If not, then where do I live? The Bible answers this question. In Acts 17:28 we may read, "In him [God] we live, and move, and have our being." How understandable that is! God being infinite, omnipresent Mind, and man being His child, His idea, surely he lives in Mind. Indeed he cannot get outside of infinite Mind, because infinity has no outside.

Another question: If, as our textbook points out (Science and Health, p. 209), "the material and mortal body or mind is not the man," what is the relationship between me and what is called my body? Or, What is my body? It is simply a manifestation of humanity's concept of man, plus my concept of myself.

Because my body expresses more or less accurately my concept of man, how important that I should give it something worth expressing. Hear this statement from our textbook (Science and Health, p. 208): "You embrace your body in your thought, and you should delineate upon it thoughts of health, not of sickness."

Were I habitually to think sickly thoughts about myself my body would express sickness. If, on the other hand, I were to learn through Christian Science what is really true about myself as God's expression, and then were to hold thought steadfastly to that ideal, my body would undoubtedly express harmony and health.

Physical healing comes about as a natural result of a change of thought, a change from fearful thinking about oneself to that true thinking which recognizes man as under God's good government now. Behind such a concept is the truth which makes free.

The Blind

The next phase of the Christ-mission mentioned by Luke was the "recovering of sight to the blind." You will remember that when John's disciples came to Jesus to inform him whether he was the one that should come, Jesus pointed to his works and said, "The blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have the gospel preached to them." Jesus gave them convincing evidence that the prophecy he referred to before was being fulfilled. John tells us in the ninth chapter of his gospel of the healing of a man who had been blind from his birth, and that many people had seen him after his sight had been restored.

Today there are some critics who, while they admit that blindness was healed in New Testament times, claim that the time for such healings is past, and that they cannot be expected now. For the information I am glad to be able to tell you that I know two women who have been healed through Christian Science of total blindness of long standing.

To Christ Jesus there was no incurable disease, and to those who understand and employ the Christ-method diseases which are commonly regarded as incurable are curable. What is it that makes disease incurable? Not the disease itself, but human ignorance, ignorance of the remedy, ignorance of how to overcome it. Today there are instances on record of the healing of every commonly known disease. If in a single instance a specific disease has been healed, does it not prove that that disease is not incurable? As Christian Scientists grow toward a complete understanding of God and man as revealed through the teachings of our Master and Christian Science, they will be able to deal more and more successfully with disease, by whatever name it may be known.

Sometimes Christians have been deterred from making vigorous and effective efforts to overcome disease because they have been taught that it is God's will that they should be ill. Such teaching may have been based on a belief in predestination, which is defined by Webster as follows: "The purpose or decree of God from eternity respecting all events; esp. the preordination of men to everlasting happiness or misery." Predestination is a New Testament word, but there is a used in the eighth chapter of Romans the text refutes any belief that God predestines evil or disease for men. Here is the passage, "For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son." No child of God is predestined to misery.

In order to overcome our ills one of the first steps we must take is to learn that God is not their author, that He did not cause, create, or send them; that He is good and good only; that His love completely surrounds, enfolds, and protects us, therefore there is nothing to fear. If we succeed in wholly overcoming our fear the manifestation of illness will soon disappear.

Through a study of the Bible and the Christian Science textbook we shall learn that the kingdom of heaven is not a place, is not a locality, but, to quote from our textbook (p. 291), "a divine state of Mind in which all the manifestations of Mind are harmonious and immortal, because sin is not there and man is found having no righteousness of his own, but in possession of the mind of the Lord," as the Scripture says.

The Bruised

The next phase of the Messianic mission of Christ Jesus mentioned in the passage we quoted from Luke was "to set at liberty them that are bruised." A translation of this passage from the Aramaic reads, "to strengthen with forgiveness those who are bruised." This would seem to imply that the phrase referred not to the physically bruised, but rather to the morally or spiritually needy. Jesus' mission was to meet humanity's needs, both physical and spiritual. The mission of Christian Science is identical. Hear this statement from Mrs. Eddy as given on pages 4 and 5 of "Miscellaneous Writings": "It is not alone the mission of Christian Science to heal the sick, but to destroy sin in mortal thought. This work well done will elevate and purify the race. It cannot fail to do this if we devote our best energies to the work."

Some of us may have believed in the past that if we prayed fervently for forgiveness, it would be granted, and then we might be free to start again on a life of wrongdoing. But Christian Science is showing us that sin cannot be forgiven unless it is forsaken; that sin and its penalty are inextricably associated, and that the penalty cannot be removed until the sin has been overcome; that sin brings suffering and the suffering can disappear only with the disappearance of the sin which caused it.

The Greek word which has been translated "sin" in the New Testament means "missing the mark," that is, humanity looks for pleasure and satisfaction where there is none. Sin, then, is based upon illusion, and its remedy is the truth which will dispel such illusions. Let me state this truth briefly. Man, God's expression, is governed wholly by God, divine Mind, and finds his joy and satisfaction in obedience to Mind.

In this bandit-ridden, war-torn world millions of persons are being sinned against, their rights trampled upon, their homes destroyed, their families scattered. These people need our help, and we can help them, not through hatred of their oppressors, but through our knowledge of what is really true about God and man; through our understanding of the impotence of greed and hatred, and the omnipotence of good to protect and supply abundantly everyone who confidently trusts in it. We know that the remedy for hate and its effects is not violence, but love rightly understood and practiced. We know that the proper conclusion of a war is not merely to put an end to the fighting, but to bring the warring nations in line with the unerring government of divine Principle.

Jesus intimated that knowledge of the truth would make free. Then through our understanding of the truth about God and man we shall be able to help those who desire our help. This raises a question, Am I doing my utmost to help in the present situation?

Frequently one is asked, What can I do to stop this war? It may not be easy to put the teachings of Christian Science in a sentence, but Christian Science is teaching the powerlessness of evil, and the potency, the omnipotence, of good, and it is showing its students how to prove this.

To test our alertness and our eagerness to do what we can to end war, suppose we ask ourselves some questions.

Am I doing as much in my way to stop this war as I should expect a soldier to do in his way?

Am I as careful to protect myself from the assaults of mental propaganda as I should expect a soldier to be to protect himself from shot and shell?

Am I as vigilant in foreseeing the moves of the adversary as I should expect a general to be?

Am I endeavoring daily to know that those who are willingly offering their all in defense of what they know to be right, will not lose anything, and that the Principle of the cause they uphold will protect all who intelligently claim its protection?

Am I as tireless and energetic in my efforts to prove that God alone governs as others seem to be to prove that will power, greed, and hatred can dominate the world?

If so, then I may be assured that the weapons of my warfare, though not carnal, are, as Paul put it, "mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds" and "casting down every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God."

Someone has said, "There is no leveler like Christianity, but it levels by lifting all who receive it to the lofty tableland of a true character." In the measure that we perceive and accept the truth about man it is possible for each one of us to begin today to lay off any false concepts of man we may have been entertaining, thoughts of self, sin, and materiality, and this growth may go on, must go on, until we arrive at the full understanding of man, in the likeness of God. What a glorious prospect! Christian Science holds before us! Nothing can prevent its attainment. Hear this statement from Mrs. Eddy as given in "Miscellaneous Writings" (p. 15): "What a faith-lit thought is this! that mortals can lay off the 'old man,' until man is found to be the image of the infinite good that we name God, and the fullness of the stature of man in Christ appears."

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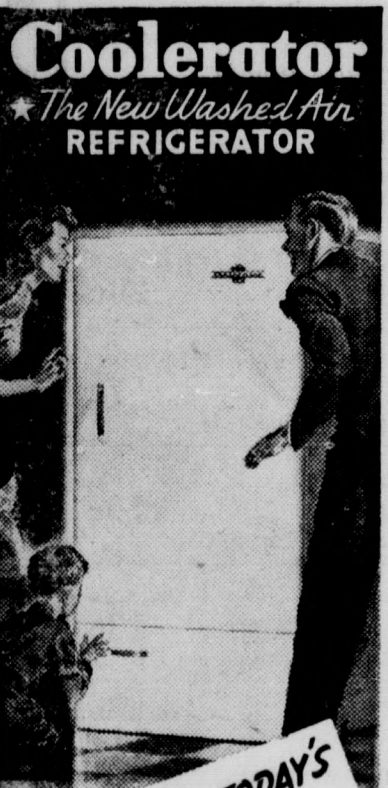
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Here's a slight addition to the "unimportant-but-true" department. French folk in the German-controlled Northern Area have been forbidden to ride horseback. Apparently only women of the superior Nazi party deserve this form of healthful exercise. Incidentally, the March first tax records of the State of California showed that the number of riding horses owned in the State was something over 19 percent greater than a year ago.

With thoughts of home canning beginning to predominate in "things to do in the future" calendars of American women, the War Production Board reminded housewives of a new closure for canning jars on the market in quantity in America for the first time this year. It's a steel-saving glass-top which will fit any standard home canning jar, and also all commercial pack screw top jars with the same mouth size. It is a simple three-part

unit—a tough heat-resistant glass lid, rubber jar ring, and steel screw band that looks like a screw cover with its center top cut out.

Mileage rationing and overcrowded trains mean that Mrs. America's family will probably be seeing more of their own back yard during this wartime vacation season than before. And they may see slightly different yard and porch furniture for iron steel and rattan are needed in war production. So non-critical domestic woods and wood-pulp processed to basket texture are replacements. For example, gliders will be available but minus steel frames with wood substituting for bch frames and springs. Porch chair cushions are said to be quite comfortable even if they are no longer filled with steel coils.

From Maine to California, Mrs. America is stepping into a large variety of occupations in the intercity bus industry and helping to meet critical manpower shortages, the Office of Defense Transportation reported. Women are assisting in keeping buses rolling by working as ticket sellers, information clerks, car washers, shop helpers, gasoline pump operators. Two companies—one in Maine and the other in California—have reported a total of 223 women bus drivers. Of this number 220 are employed as long distance drivers. And Mrs. America is working on the railroad to keep the wheels of transportation revolving. In January 63,187 women were engaged in 74 types of jobs on class one railroads. These included women working as gang laborers, section hands and even as road passenger brakemen and flagmen.

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Proposed Laws Would Protect Public In The Use Of Horse Meat

Prompted in part by the current meat shortage and other problems related to the war there are more than a score of bills awaiting consideration at the present session of the State Legislature dealing with livestock, meat inspection and poultry.

Several proposals seek to control the sale of horse meat so that the public shall not be sold such meat under the impression that it is buying beef or other meats normally sold for human consumption.

A. B. 451, by Assemblyman Armstrong, would amend the Health and Safety Code to provide that horse meat shall not be sold unless it is clearly labeled, in English, as horse meat. It also provides that no one may

serve horse meat unless he has notified the one to whom it is served, in writing, that it is horse meat.

S. B. 698, by Senators Burns and Powers, would amend the Health and Safety Code to prohibit the sale of horse meat in public markets where other meat or food products are sold. It would also regulate the sale of horse meat elsewhere—and requires that restaurants serving horse meat display placards stating: "Horse meat for human consumption."

Another bill by Senator Burns—S. B. 617—would subject all meat products prepared for animal food to the same requirements as those prepared for human consumption.

DAUGHTER BORN TO THE EMORY DIEMERS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Emory Diemer of 661 W. Algeria ave., Wednesday, April 7 at St. Luke's Hospital in Pasadena. The child has been named Juliana Caryll Diemer. Mr. and Mrs. Diemer have another daughter, Alice Lee Diemer, four years old.

The maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Delf, and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Diemer, both reside in Long Beach. The paternal great grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Griffith, live in Clayton, Kan.

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OBITUARY

MRS. MAUDE E. WARD

Mrs. Maud E. Ward, widow of E. Waldo Ward, well known citrus grower, died Monday at her home at 273 E. Highland ave., at the age of 69.

A native of Baltimore, Md., Mrs. Ward had lived in Sierra Madre for the past 28 years. She was an active member of the Congregational Church and had been well known in club activities. Her husband was founder of the nationally known preserving factory in this city.

She is survived by two sisters, Lillian Bride Rouark, of San Francisco, and Mrs. Frederick Sager of Rye, Colo.

Funeral services were held at Grant Chapel, Wednesday, April 21 at 11 a.m., conducted by Dr. Arthur O. Pritchard. Interment followed in Live Oak Cemetery in Monrovia.

MRS. ROBERTA I. ALCORN

Funeral services for Mrs. Roberta I. Alcorn, mother of Mrs. Margaret Schwartz, wife of the city's mayor, who died Saturday April 17, at her home at 175 Sierra Madre blvd., were held at Grant Chapel, Monday, April 19. She was born in La Porte, Ind., 78 years ago, and had made her home in Sierra Madre for the past 22 years. She was a former member of the Maccabees and Presbyterian Church.

Besides her daughter, she leaves two sons, Harry Alcorn of Sierra Madre and James Alcorn of South Pasadena; a brother, John Dunn of Sierra Madre, and a grandson, Tommy Schwartz.

Serving as pallbearers were City Clerk W. E. Pratt, Woodson F. Jones, William Lees, R. H. Pickett, Ben Mobley and W. S. Hull. Interment was in Sierra Madre Cemetery.



Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Barkman of 40 S. Michilinda blvd were guests at a dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Linney of Monrovia, Friday evening. The occasion honored the birthday of Mr. Linney.

Mrs. W. S. Hull of 542 W. Montecito ave, with her daughter, Dixie, left Thursday night for Kingman, Ariz., for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hull. Mr. Hull is well known here, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pinkerton of 262 Santa Anita ct., with grandson, Scott Pinkerton, left Sunday for Mariposa, Cal., for a visit of several weeks, with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kaylor. Mrs. Kaylor is the former Margaret Pinkerton of this city. Mr. Kaylor has a civilian position with the State Forestry Department at Mariposa.

Mrs. Martin Mayhew, who has been a houseguest of Mrs. Allan Rainey of Alta Vista dr., for the past few days, has returned to her home in Santa Ana.

Friends in Sierra Madre, and Santa Anita Oaks of Mrs. John Hora (Josephine Louise Hare) will be glad to know that she is recovering from a severe case of bronchial pneumonia at her home on W. Beverly dr., in Altadena. Her mother, Mrs. Madge Thompson Hare of 297 W. Highland ave., is with Mrs. Hora during her convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayne Whitman of Beverly Hills, were Sunday dinner guests of the F. Harrison Hollands of W. Orange Grove ave., at the Annandale Country Club.

Mrs. Steve O'Donnell of 733 W. Grand View ave., returned Friday from a trip by plane to the east coast.

Louise Holmes Andrews, who recently broke her foot, is re-

covering at her home at 15 E. Mira Monte ave.

Miss Jane Anderson entertained a group of friends with a small bridge party, Wednesday evening, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Anderson of 695 W. Orange Grove ave.

Mrs. Helen Bueckner of Chicago, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Hanke, and Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis of Arcadia were Sunday night supper guests of the A. J. Barkmans of 40 S. Michilinda blvd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McAndrew have closed their home at 311 Auburn ave, and are now in Grandin, N. D., where they expect to be on their farm until the early fall. A letter from the McAndrews to friends here says the weather is really cold back there.

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